[Mr. K. Mahomed.]

of clerks and other officers in the staff of the Director of Public Instruction as it stood at the end of the year 1108?

MR. R. M. STATHAM (*Director of Public Instruction*): The *statement required is placed on the table.

Appointments in the Education Department.

362. *MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the waiting list in the matter of appointments in Education Department was abolished;

(*b*) who are the officers to exercise the powers of appointment in future in the Department;

(*c*) what is the grade of appointments of the respective officers;

(*d*) whether the power of appointments of the Inspectors of Schools are to be taken away from them; and

(*e*) whether the appointments are all to be made by the Director of Public Instruction?

MR. R. M. STATHAM (*Director of Public Instruction*): (*a*) No.

(*b*), (*c*), (*d*), and (*e*). The power of appointments now in force has not been altered.

The Officers in the office of the Director of Public Instruction.

363. *MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a list of the officers, and their salary, in the office of the Director of Public Instruction; and

(*b*) what were the amounts that were required for the office expenditure in the years 1090, 1095, 1100, 1105, 1108 and 1109 M. E.?

MR. R. M. STATHAM (*Director of Public Instruction*):

	Pay and allowance.	*Emergency cut.*
(*a*) (1) R. M. Statham M. A., I. E. S., C. I. E., Director of Public Instruction	Bh. Rs. 2,100 O. A. £. 30	5 per cent.
(2) C. V. Chandrasekharan M. A. (Oxon), Deputy Director of Public Instruction	Bh. Rs. 900	
(3) R. Ranga Aiyar, B. A. L. T., Personal Assistant to the Director	Rs. 300 L. A. Rs. 50	
(4) D. Gainneos B. A. & B. L., Financial Assistant	Rs. 200	
(5) P. S. Sivaswami Aiyar B. A., L. T., Manager	Rs. 175	

* *Vide* Appendix XI.

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(*b*)

Year.	Salaries.	Establish-ment.	Allowance.	Contingencies.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1090	22,185	7,618	980	1,642	32,425
1095	24,043	8,161	337	850	33,391
1100	27,668	11,201	833	1,575	41,277
1105	26,169	15,779	4,241	2,279	48,468
1108	25,249	16,275	2,006	1,458	44,988
*1109	21,571	10,034	864	1,377	33,846

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): May I know from the member whether the Director of Public Instruction's office is not over-staffed now?

MR. R. M. STATHAM (*Director of Public Instruction*): It is not over-staffed.

MR. K. R. ELENKATH (*Kalkulam I*): May I know whether different work is assigned to different people?

MR. R. M. STATHAM (*Director of Public Instruction*): Yes.

MR. K. R. ELENKATH (*Kalkulam I*): May I know who is now dealing with the papers connected with school inspection?

MR. E. V. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Pattanamtitta*): May I know, Sir whether this question arises as a supplementary question?

PRESIDENT: No.

The Vernacular Primary School at Mithrumalai.

364. *MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the present condition of the school building of the Vernacular Primary School at Mithrumalai;

(b) whether the building was not constructed by the public and handed over to the department for management years ago;

(*c*) whether the school building was properly maintained by the department or not;

(*d*) whether there is any idea of abolishing the said school; and

(*e*) whether there is the necessity for that school at Kallara, its present location?

MR. R. M. STATHAM (*Director of Public Instruction*): (*a*) The foundation of the school building requires to be strengthened. There are holes and a few cracks in the walls of the building. Only a portion of the walls has been plastered.

(*b*) Yes.

* The figures relate to the expenditure up to the end of Kumbham 1109.

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